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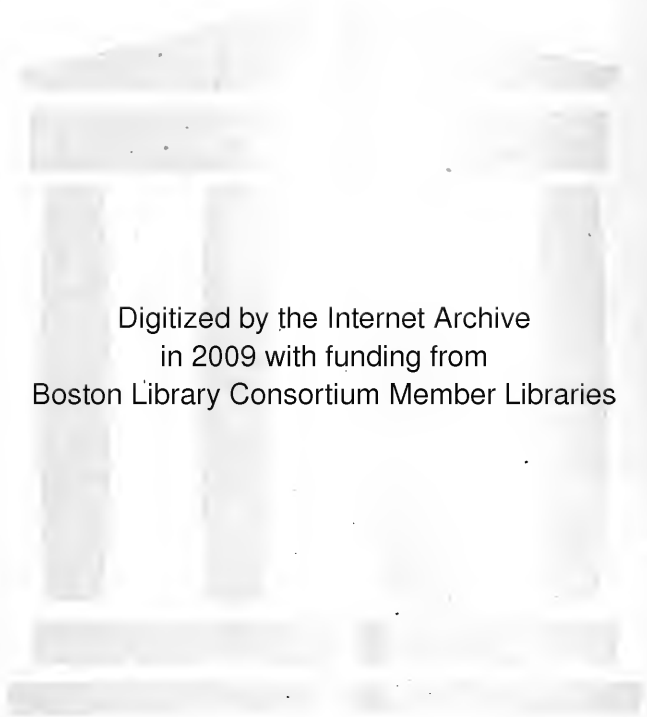
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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF DUBLIN, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1895.

In reviewing the work of the year, for the purpose of making this, the seventy-third annual report of the schools of Dublin, we find that much good work has been done, and although the results in the different schools have not all been what was hoped for, yet in no instance have we had failure. The town, at present, furnishes but one available teacher, therefore the business of procuring and assigning teachers is one of considerable risk. The literary qualifications of the teachers for the past year have been good, some superior, and all should be commended for the faithfulness with which they tried to carry out their several methods of teaching school.

The effect of the interest or indifference of the parents in the educational opportunities offered to the scholars in town, has been clearly shown, in the quality and amount of work accomplished, in the regularity of attendance, and the respect which the pupils have shown for their teachers. It is to be regretted that the scholars in town leave school at such an early age. It takes away from our schools that character of earnest endeavor which stamps the work of maturer minds, and substitutes careless and imperfect work in the school room, and a tendency to rude and uncouth manners.

The habits of study today are not of a nature that tends to lasting results. That scholar is not engaged in hard study, whose attention is easily arrested by the trivial happenings of those about him. At the time when our scholars attended school until they "came to years of discretion," it was not an uncommon occurrence for a pupil to pass a term without whispering or communicating. The practice of studying together is productive of more harm than good. That work which is accomplished by one's own efforts, will be the one which can be recalled in after years, when necessity demands its use.

Before the commencement of the spring terms, it was decided that the revised edition of Colburn's Arithmetic, used in our schools, was not the true mental arithmetic desired, so it was replaced by the old

edition and teachers asked to give it especial attention. The pupil who has mastered this little book, has sufficient arithmetical knowledge for all ordinary purposes, and has little to fear in the knotty problems to be found in the higher mathematics.

Heretofore, music has never been placed in our schools as a study, but the great necessity of awakening an interest in this sweet but neglected art, led to its introduction in our schools as an experiment, during the summer terms. The services of Miss Bertha I. Smith, of Marlboro', were secured as teacher. Ten lessons of one hour each, were given to each school. The results being so satisfactory, it was thought best to have the instruction continued through the fall terms. The singing at the closing examinations has been pleasing to the visitors, and the general verdict has been, that the money was well spent.

One of the most important subjects taught in our schools, but one which has not received its share of attention, is language or composition. To express one's self grammatically, elegantly, and with precision, should be the ambition of all. The average scholar needs a great amount of practice in composition work to become familiar with its fundamental rules. With this end in view, a uniform plan of work was adopted for the fall terms. The older scholars were to write historical essays, upon the settlement of New England, including that of New Hampshire and Dublin. Letter-writing, in all its forms, by all the scholars, was included in the plan of work. The results were pleasing and satisfactory. It showed that the writing schools of the past year had had a good effect upon the penmanship of the scholars, among whom there are perhaps a dozen, who may, with practice, become expert penmen. It is not sufficient, however, that our writing be fine, but that what we have to say is correctly written and properly arranged.

There have been a number of applications from scholars, for books to be used through the vacations. Although the Board favor the practice of study between terms, it was not thought best to establish the precedent of loaning books, unless there was to be some regular plan of instruction. A bible, dictionary, arithmetic, geography and grammar should be found among the books in every home. Every year the opinion grows stronger in town, that there are serious drawbacks in furnishing free text-books in our schools. Before the law was passed our scholars were generally well supplied with books of their own.

The \$350.00 appropriated by the town for repairs, has been expended at Nos. 3 and 5. Each school house has received two coats of paint, the school rooms sheathed overhead with a hard finish, and the seats and tops of the desks dressed over. At No. 3 the chimney was relaid and an open shed built, 18x18 feet, and connected with the girls' entry by a covered walk. New closets were built in the shed, leaving sufficient room for a supply of wood and shelter for two teams.

SCHOOL.	TERM.	TEACHERS.	RESIDENCE.
No. 1.	1.	Miss Theodora V. Tenney,	Jaffrey, N. H.
" 1.	2.	Miss Theodora V. Tenney,	" "
" 2.	1.	Miss Emily E. Derby,	Dublin, N. H.
" 2.	2.	Mr. Percy N. Folsom,	Manchester, N. H.
" 3.	1.	Miss Laurie Merriam,	Marlboro', N. H.
" 3.	2.	Miss Helen Prescott,	E. Jaffrey, N. H.
" 4.	1.	Miss S. Lillie Adams,	Jaffrey, N. H.
" 4.	2.	Miss S. Lillie Adams,	" "
" 5.	1.	Miss Gertrude M. Cummings,	Marlboro', N. H.
" 5.	2.	Miss Mary M. Smith,	Plymouth, N. H.

Music Teacher, Miss Bertha I. Smith, Marlboro', N. H.

SPECIAL REPORTS.

No. 1. Both terms were under the instruction of the same teacher, whose literary qualifications, wide experience, and interest in her work could not fail to secure good results. She was not confined to text-books, but brought in much outside information, thereby greatly increasing the usefulness of the lessons. Her methods are modern, yet sufficiently her own to be of practical value. The examinations were interesting and showed that the pupils had made good progress. The paintings in oil, of flowers, by a member of the botany class, and the drawings upon the blackboard by the philosophy class, were very creditable. The composition work was good, and penmanship superior. The appearance of the school during the winter term was greatly marred by whispering and unbecoming behavior.

No. 2. Summer term. All the good that has been said of this teacher in the past, can be truthfully repeated today. There is no backsliding; her motto seems to be, "Onward." Her teaching is characteristic for its breadth and thoroughness. A visit to her school is never tiresome, and her closing examinations are literary treats. Her familiarity with this school, as its occasional teacher, placed her in a position to see its wants, and her knowledge of books the power to supply its demands. Of course the scholars made good progress, and all were satisfied with the work accomplished.

Fall Term. The school opened auspiciously, with nineteen pupils, but after a short time it became evident that the teacher's methods and manners were not conducive of the most harmonious relations between scholar and teacher. There was a gradual falling off in numbers and examination day found but eleven pupils present. The school privileges of Dublin are not so great that the scholars in town can afford to neglect a term or any part of it. Although the exercises at the close of the term lacked life, it was evident that good work had been accomplished, thoroughness being the aim of the teacher. His best work is perhaps with beginners. Reading did not receive sufficient attention. The appearance of the school during the term was a great improvement over the silly, snickering ways which have greatly marred its appearance for some years. We hope there will be no falling back from the present standard.

No. 3. Summer Term. A feeling of dissatisfaction having sprung up in the district before the commencement of the term, the teacher labored at a great disadvantage. The true sympathy which should bind parents, pupils and teacher together, and without which no school can be a perfect success, was lacking. The teacher has already been too severely criticised. She worked hard to make the school a success, and when experience has worn away the sharp corners of her methods, we predict more satisfactory results. The appearance of the school during the term was good, and the school room neat. Her methods of teaching history and geography were excellent. The sudden death of the teacher's father caused the school to close without examination at the end of the tenth week.

Fall Term.—The selection of teacher for the second term, proved a good one. The key note of her success was that she had a winning way and was thoroughly in earnest. From the first it was plain that the one purpose, in the minds of all, was, to make the term a successful one.

Improvement in the neatness of the copy books was noticeable. The teacher's musical ability, seconding the efforts of Miss Smith, was productive of good results. The botanical work during this term and also that in Nos. 1 and 2 in the summer was excellent. To familiarize country children with, and awaken an interest in trees, plants, flowers, and seeds, is laudable work, and we hope to see more of it in the future. There is no more humiliating failure than to be found lacking in the knowledge of things with which we are supposed to be perfectly familiar.

No. 4. This school has had a most successful year, being under the instruction of the same faithful and conscientious teacher as last year. She is by nature endowed with the qualities which are necessary in a successful teacher. Her literary qualifications and methods are similar to those of Miss Derby and Miss Tenney, and to speak of them in detail will be but to repeat what has already been said in this report. This school has established a reputation for its good order and strict attention to work. The results, therefore, are very satisfactory, and it is difficult to single out any one thing as better than another. From every point of view the composition work was excellent, as was the memory drawing put upon the board to illustrate the recitation in philosophy. Good, practical instruction in physiology was given orally to the whole school.

No. 5. The summer term was under the charge of a young lady of winning ways, and pleasant relations existed between her and the pupils. She worked faithfully, and was fairly successful. Some of the new methods of teaching, exemplified at the Teacher's Institutes, were tried quite successfully in this school, but we fail to see the advantage, with our limited school privileges, of teaching written work to the little folks and omitting print.

The extreme reticence of some of the pupils, adds much to the labors of the teacher and detracts from the general appearance of the school.

Fall term was taught by one who, by experience and teaching, was well fitted to lead the little folks up the Mount of Knowledge. She is on the lookout for new ideas, and cannot fail to inspire her pupils to good work, by her own enthusiasm. By her patience and fidelity, she won the respect and good will of the scholars, and the term was a successful one.

ROLL OF HONOR.

No. 1. For the year. Mary E. Fisk, Joan Matthews, Robert H. Fisk, Linwood E. Howe.

One term. Cornelia L. Howe, Julina B. Howe, Bessie C. Willard, Jessie M. Moore, Milton A. Moore, Claude C. Pierce.

No. 2. For the year. Ellen E. Appleton, Alice M. Gowing, Ray M. Baldwin, Allie F. W. Spaulding.

One term. Arthur T. Appleton, Louis W. Adams, Guy W. Baldwin, Henry N. Gowing, Everett M. Hannaford, L. Harland Richardson, Marjorie D. Wood.

No. 3. For the year. Cora B. Knight, Arthur J. Knight.

One term. Jennie M. Knight, Josephine E. May, Walter F. Abbott, Lester C. Knight, Albert B. May, Charlie P. May, Joseph S. May.

No. 4. For the year. Ina E. Eaves, Eva A. Harrington, Emigene E. Perry, Guy A. Eaves, Everett D. Learned.

One term. Amy I. Eaves, Hannah M. Harrington, Forrest C. Perry, Clarence G. Harrington.

No. 5. For the year. Edith C. Frost.

One term. Lilla LaPointe, May Lapointe.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

No. of School
No. of Terms
Weeks of School
No. of Scholars
No. of Boys
No. of Girls
Percentage of attendance
Reading
Spelling
Writing
Arithmetic
Geography
Grammar
Algebra
Drawing
History
Composition
Natural History
Philosophy
Book-keeping
Physiology
Botany
Civil Government
Tardiness
Visits by School Board
Visits of Parents and others
Wages of Teachers

Number of children between the ages of 5 and 15 years, as enumerated by the Selectmen, April 1, 1894: Boys, 48; Girls, 30; total, 78; 2 less than last year.

LILIAN G. APPLETON, } School Board
HENRY D. LEARNED, } of
JAMES ALLISON. } Dublin.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1895.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury from last school year,	\$ 182 52
Agent for the Selectmen, appropriation for 1894,	1100 00
Edson Hazen, tuition, writing school,	1 00
E. Royce, tuition, writing school, 2 terms,	2 00
Edwin Twitchell, tuition,	2 50
For broken glass,	34
Town Treasurer for text books and school supplies,	100 50
Albert Adams, 1 spelling book,	15
Town Treasurer for repairing school houses and building outbuildings,	350 00
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DISBURSEMENTS.

PAID TEACHERS.

Henry D. Allison, writing school in No. 2,	14 00
Gertrude M. Cummings, No. 5, 10 weeks,	50 00
Emily E. Derby, No. 2, 10 2-5 weeks,	62 40
S. Lillie Adams, No. 4, 11 weeks,	66 00
Laurie Merriam, (including board) No. 3, 10 weeks,	80 00
Theodora V. Tenney, No. 1, 11 weeks,	66 00
Bertha I. Smith, music teacher,	50 00
Percy N. Folsom, No. 2, 12 weeks,	72 00
Mary M. Smith, (including board) No. 5, 12 weeks,	104 80
Theodora V. Tenney, (including board) No. 1, 12 weeks,	108 00
S. Lillie Adams, (including board) No. 4, 12 weeks,	108 00
Helen Prescott, (including board) No. 3, 13 weeks,	117 00
Bertha I. Smith, music teacher,	50 00
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Albert G. Adams, No. 2, 1 week,	25
Linwood Howe, No. 1, 11 weeks,	2 20
Ellen Appleton, No. 2, 10 2-5 weeks,	2 08
F. M. Knight, No. 3, 10 weeks,	1 75
Ina Eaves, No. 4, 11 weeks,	2 20
Merton Fiske, No. 5, 10 weeks,	1 75
Clarence Mason, No. 1, 12 weeks,	3 00
Ellen Appleton, No. 2, 12 weeks,	3 00
Florence M. Knight, No. 3, 13 weeks,	2 86
Ina Eaves, No. 4, 12 weeks,	2 40
M. Smith, No. 5, 12 weeks,	3 00
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	24 49

CLEANING SCHOOL HOUSES.

Rufus Pierce, No. 1,	2 00
Mary Clukay, Nos. 2 and 3,	2 40
Ina Eaves, No. 4,	1 50
Mrs. W. W. Arnold, No. 5,	2 00
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	7 90

PAID FOR MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Rufus Pierce, repairs at No. 1,	4 00
John Upton, repairs on chimney and stovepipe at No. 2,	1 08
Lester C. Knight, clearing up school yard and setting glass at No. 3,	90
T. J. Eaves, work on chimney at No. 3,	3 00
Moore Bros. & Knight, doors, windows, labor, etc., at No. 3,	7 15
James Allison, pail, dipper, key, glass, etc., furnished and cleaning desks, stovepipe and putting it up, blocking up floor joists, etc., at No. 5,	6 23
A. C. Frost, labor and materials at No. 5,	4 90
H. L. Wiswall, boards at No. 5,	2 08
W. L. Fiske, wood at No. 1,	10 00
Asa Knowlton, wood at No. 5,	10 00
Moore Bros. & Knight, wood at No. 3,	8 00
James Allison, kindling at No. 5,	50
H. D. Learned, wood, stovepipe, repairs on stove, etc., at No. 4,	5 84
Mrs. R. P. Pierce, boarding Miss Tenney 11 weeks,	31 00
Mrs. J. Upton, boarding Miss Derby 10½ weeks,	31 50
Mrs. C. F. Appleton, boarding Mr. Folsom 12 weeks,	33 60
Mrs. H. D. Learned, boarding Miss Adams 11 weeks,	27 50
Mrs. A. Knowlton, boarding Miss Cummings 10 weeks,	25 00
Lilian G. Appleton, dust pan, brush, water pail, lock and 5 brooms,	2 00
Geo. W. Gleason, telephoning, broom, brush, etc.,	1 28
Chas. L. Clark, 2d, transportation of two scholars to Marl- boro' village during the past school year,	15 00
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TEXT BOOKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Henry D. Allison, stationery, writing schools,	18 23
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., supplies,	12 75
Boston School Supply Co., supplies,	15 38
Silver, Burdett & Co., music supplies,	27 51
Ginn & Co., supplies,	4 80
William Ware & Co., supplies,	3 60
W. H. Spalter, supplies,	9 10
Bertha I. Smith, music supplies,	75
Geo. W. Gleason, express and supplies,	88
C. F. Appleton, express and supplies,	4 95
Mrs. C. F. Appleton, supplies,	60
M. D. Mason, express,	1 60
Geo. F. King & Merrill, supplies,	50
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	100 65

REPAIRING SCHOOL HOUSES AND BUILDING OUTBUILDINGS.

No. 1.

C. W. Leffingwell, paint and labor,	5 38
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No. 3.

James Allison, transporting sheathing,	4 50
Moore Bros. & Knight, lumber, labor and repairs,	66 41
Moore Bros. & Knight, lumber, labor, etc., for shed and closets,	149 81
C. W. Leffingwell, paint and labor,	34 80
Nims, Whitney & Co., sheathing and moulding,	18 15
Knowlton & Stone, brads,	50

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No. 5.

James Allison, transporting sheathing, paints, etc.,	6 00
Nims, Whitney & Co., sheathing and moulding,	15 30
Knowlton & Stone, lead, oil, nails and brads,	13 11
J. L. Fairbanks, painting school house,	6 25
Spencer & Co., white lead and raw oil,	4 90
F. A. Pierce, brads and labor,	14 10
C. W. Leffingwell, setting glass,	35
J. L. Fairbanks, painting school house,	10 00

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RECAPITULATION.

J. G. TOWNSEND, TREASURER OF DUBLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT, DR.

Balance in Treasury from last school year,	182 52
Agent of the Selectmen,	1100 00
Town Treasurer,	450 50
Tuition,	5 50
Miscellaneous sources,	49

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Paid out for teachers,	948 20
Janitors,	24 49
Cleaning school houses,	7 90
Miscellaneous purposes,	230 56
Text book and school supplies,	100 65
Repairing school houses and building outbuildings,	349 56

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Cash on hand to balance,	77 65
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Respectfully submitted,

JOHN G. TOWNSEND, Treasurer.

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 18, 1895.

Having examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer of Dublin School District, we find them correctly cast and legally vouched.

F. A. PIERCE,	} Auditors.
C. A. WOOD,	

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 18, 1895.

REPORT OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1894,	\$ 3 17	
Received from Town Treasurer,	100 00	
Received from summer visitors,	67 73	
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1894	DISBURSEMENTS.	
Mar. 15, New books,	15 00	
Oct. 22, " "	90 81	
Dec. 10, " "	9 17	
1895		
Feb. 15, " "	7 00	
Insurance,	15 00	
Salary of Librarian,	30 00	
Express on books,	2 55	
Feb. 15, Cash on hand,	1 37	
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GEO. W. GLEASON, MINNIE E. LEFFINGWELL, HENRY D. ALLISON,		} Committee.
Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15, 1895.		

Having examined the accounts of the Library Committee, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CLIFFORD GOWING, }
CHAS. F. APPLETON, } Auditors.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

Number of volumes taken from the Library during the year ending Feb. 15, 1895,	2768
Number of volumes added during the year,	173
Whole number of volumes in the Library,	2815
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1894,	\$6 85
Amount received in fines,	4 30
Received from sale of books,,	2 00
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	13 15
Paid for cleaning room,	1 75
Book labels,	1 70
Library supplies,	1 66
Repairing book case,	1 15
New books,	2 00
Cash on hand,	4 89
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	\$13 15
MINNIE E. LEFFINGWELL, Librarian.	

TOWN HALL.

Report of Geo. W. Gleason, Agent, for the year ending Feb. 15, 1895:

1894.		RECEIPTS.	
Mar. 15,	Dramatic,	3	00
July 18,	Party,	3	00
" 20,	"	3	00
" 27,	Dance,	3	00
Aug. 6,	"	3	00
" 15,	Party,	3	00
Oct. 9,	Grange,	3	00
"	Dance,	2	00
Nov. 30,	Dance and dramatic,	4	00
Dec. 17,	Concert,	3	00
1895.			
Feb. 13,	Concert,	3	00
" 15,	Rent of basement,	5	00
" 15,	Singing school,	10	00
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			48 00

		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Mar. 12,	2 chimneys,	20	
" 12,	3 1-2 gallons kerosene,	40	
Apr. 27,	1 1-2 " "	18	
July 9,	Tuning piano,	2	00
" 14,	1 chimney,	10	
" 14,	1 gallon kerosene,	12	
" 26,	2 gallons " "	24	
Aug. 4,	2 " "	24	
" 4,	1 step ladder,	1	75
" 20,	3 gallons kerosene,	36	
Oct. 9,	1 burner,	10	
" 9,	3 gallons kerosene,	36	
" 22,	2 " "	24	
Nov. 20,	2 " "	24	
" 30,	3 " "	36	
" 30,	1 chimney,	10	
Dec. 4,	3 gallons kerosene,	36	
" 4,	2 chimneys,	20	
" 20,	3 gallons kerosene,	36	
1895.			
Jan. 31,	3 gallons kerosene,	36	
" 31,	6 chimneys,	50	
" 31,	5 burners,	50	
Feb. 13,	6 hand lamps,	2	40
" 13,	1 gallon kerosene,	12	
" 13,	2 cords stove wood,	11	00
" 15,	Repairing windows,	2	30
" 15,	Cash to selectmen,	22	91
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			48 00

We, having examined the foregoing account, find it correctly cast, with proper vouchers.

CHARLES R. FISK, }
MILTON D. MASON, } Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1895.

RECEIPTS.

Money in treasury, Feb. 15, 1894,	\$1,734 63
County, money paid for county paupers,	23 75
Selectmen, money borrowed for use of town,	675 00
State treasurer, savings bank tax,	1,605 08
State treasurer, literary fund,	151 13
Selectmen, rent of tramp house,	5 00
Wilfred M. Fiske, interest collected on taxes,	3 09
State treasurer, bounty on hawks,	2 25
Selectmen, rent of land for John H. Mason's ice house,	3 00
Selectmen, balance of town house account,	22 91
Town clerk, license fees on dogs,	133 38
Selectmen, rent of room in town house,	25 00
Town agents, interest on school funds,	609 06
Collector of taxes,	5,700 34
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for miscellaneous purposes :	
Treffley Demanche, aid furnished Alevine Bastrache,	7 00
John Scott, printing town reports and check lists,	31 00
Joseph W. Powers, labor at cemetery,	23 37
Fred A. Pierce, money appropriated for Memorial Day,	60 50
County treasurer, county tax,	913 05
W. L. Metcalf, printing inventory of town,	17 46
J. W. Powers, appropriation for improvement at cemetery,	55 00
State treasurer, state tax,	1,170 00
Cyrus A. Barrett, for snow roller,	65 00
John E. Baldwin, bounty on hawks,	2 25
Selectmen, six chairs for town house,	7 50
Batchelder & Faulkner, as retainer fees,	6 00
Library committee, appropriation for public library,	100 00
Charles F. Knight, supporting a public watering tub,	3 00
Charles L. Clark, 2d, boarding Elvira Porter,	36 00
George W. Gleason, care of town house,	20 00
Lilian G. Appleton, postage, order book, &c.,	2 22
A. L. Ball, guide boards, repairs at town house,	14 34
Warren L. Fiske, postage, stationery and cashing checks,	6 25
John E. Baldwin, blank books, stationery, &c.,	3 75
Warren L. Fiske, recording and returning certificates of births, marriages and deaths,	4 60
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PAID FOR BREAKING ROAD.

James Allison,	18 28
Geo. E. Mathews,	38 40
Leonard W. Harrington,	4 12
Henry V. Shattuck,	1 22
Frank C. Moore,	66 48
Frank H. Weston,	22 96
Merrick C. Adams,	1 68
Alfred C. Frost,	2 24
George Robinson,	4 55
John A. Upton,	34 59
Clesson E. Gowing,	22 56
Orison H. Moore,	1 24
Charles F. Knight,	5 60
Charles M. Townsend,	3 76
Charles F. Appleton,	42 80
Charles W. Fiske,	2 16
Wilfred M. Fiske,	90 39
Charles L. Clark, 2d,	6 00
Frank E. Burpee,	1 52
Martin E. Moore,	8 48
John E. Baldwin,	9 60
Joseph May,	1 92
Daniel A. Dwight,	3 04
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PAID FOR REPAIRING HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

John A. Upton, Highway Agent, money appropriated for highways,	2,500 00
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PAID FOR SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

John G. Townsend, treasurer of Dublin School District, support of schools,	1,100 00
Text books and school supplies,	100 50
Repair of school houses,	350 00
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	1550 50

PAID NOTES AND INTEREST.

John E. Baldwin, amount of note,	410 00
Fred C. Gowing, " "	281 87
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	691 87

PAID FOR ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Wilfred M. Fiske, Collector, 1893,	3 84
" " " 1894,	7 84
J. Francis Allison, rebate of tax, 1893,	1 28
Estate of Dexter Derby, overassessment of taxes,	19 04
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	32 00

PAID TOWN OFFICERS, SERVICES.

Samuel Adams, supervisor two years,	10 00
John H. Mason, " "	10 00
Orison H. Moore, " "	10 00
Charles W. Gowing, agent of trustees of Appleton Fund,	2 00
Henry D. Learned, town agent,	15 00
James Allison, " "	10 00
Lilian G. Appleton, school board,	31 87
Henry D. Learned, " "	22 00
James Allison, " "	23 00

Warren L. Fiske, town clerk,	12 00
Warren L. Fiske, town treasurer,	26 00
Orison H. Moore, policeman,	3 50
Charles R. Fisk, inspector of elections,	2 00
Fred A. Pierce, " "	2 00
John A. Upton, " "	2 00
Charles F. Knight, " "	2 00
John E. Baldwin, selectman,	63 00
John E. Baldwin, services with cattle commissioners,	16 50
Isaac N. Leathers, selectman,	37 00
Charles J. Ellis, " "	52 00
Wilfred M. Fiske, collector,	50 00
John E. Baldwin, overseer of the poor,	12 25
George A. Gowing, sexton,	8 00
George A. Gowing, tramp constable,	6 00
Charles R. Fiske, auditor,	2 00
Milton D. Mason, " "	2 00
Charles F. Appleton, " "	2 00
Clifford Gowing, " "	2 00
Curtis A. Wood, school district auditor,	1 00
Fred A. Pierce, " " " 1893-94,	2 00
Clifford Gowing, " " " 1893,	1 00
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	440 12

RECAPITULATION.

TREASURER, DR.

Money in the treasury, Feb. 15, 1894,	1,734 63
Received from miscellaneous sources,	2,649 59
Received from town agent,	609 06
Received from collectors of taxes,	5,700 34
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	10,693 62

TREASURER, CR.

Paid for miscellaneous purposes,	2,548 29
“ breaking roads,	393 59
“ repairing highways and bridges,	2,500 00
“ support of schools,	1,100 00
“ text books and school supplies,	100 50
“ repair of school houses,	350 00
Paid notes and interest,	691 87
Paid abatement of taxes,	32 00
Paid town officers,	440 12
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	8,156 37
Money in treasury to balance,	2,537 25
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	10,693 62

Respectfully submitted,

WARREN L. FISKE, Treasurer.

Dublin, Feb. 18, 1895.

We, having examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer, find them correctly cast and legally vouched.

CLIFFORD GOWING, }
CHARLES F. APPLETON, } Auditors.

HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1895.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1894,	58
Dynamite sold,	2 27
Drain pipe sold,	7 52
Town treasurer,	2,500 00
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	2,510 37

DISBURSEMENTS.

For labor on highway :

Benjamin Willard,	246 95
J. Burgeno,	69 65
H. and R. Beaulsien,	139 30
L. Gilman,	73 15
L. Gilman, Jr.,	7 00
S. Bourlett,	62 65
E. Town,	60 90
F. Lapoint,	61 78
Warren L. Fiske,	105 40
Geo. E. Matthews,	27 50
John A. Upton,	128 25
James Emory,	41 11
Frank C. Moore,	290 58
Edgar Cilley,	55 78
Frank Putnam,	47 68
Charles Pickford,	52 75
Geo. Burpee,	56 69
James Hall,	49 43
Frank H. Weston,	22 80
Thomas Hall,	37 18
Lester Knight,	75
Charles F. Appleton,	190 51
Asa Knowlton,	28 22
Frank E. Burpee,	8 22
Henry D. Learned	22 90
Alfred C. Frost,	93 29
Joseph May,	39 81
Presley LaBell,	49 18

Charles J. Ellis,	41 58
John H. Mason,	3 10
J. A. Hannaford,	24 50
Frank Clukay,	19 25
Fred Greenwood,	15 83
Charles P. Sweetser,	78
Albert Adams,	62
Henry V. Shattuck,	1 57
Benj. Burpee,	87
Lewis Burpee,	88
Fred Wait,	4 00
Wilfred M. Fiske,	13 00
James Allison,	8 53
William Farmer,	4 20
E. L. Twitchell,	21 70
L. W. Harrington,	4 38
E. B. Howe,	8 22
D. Donley,	1 25
Geo. A. Gowing,	2 00
C. L. Clark, 2d,	8 05
Walter Robbe,	1 75
E. Russell,	6 30
P. Sweatt,	6 30
C. M. Townsend,	1 00
Nichols Bros., drain pipe,	33 81
M. M. Bascom, explosives,	33 50
Moore Bros. & Knight, bridge plank,	74 14
C. & H. Farwell, bridge plank,	12 00
W. Proctor, repairing tools,	9 48
M. D. Mason, material to use on highway,	7 00
Geo. H. Sampson, explosives,	12 35
John E. Baldwin, gravel,	5 00
Cash on hand,	54 02
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	2,510 37

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. UPTON, Highway Agent.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1895.

As overseers of the poor, aid to county charges :		
Mrs. Alevine Bastrache,	7 00	
Miss Elvira Porter,	36 00	
Due from county, Feb. 15, 1894,	16 75	
	<u> </u>	59 75
Received from county,	23 75	
Due from county,	36 00	
	<u> </u>	59 75

ASSETS.

Taxes uncollected for 1892,	14 67	
“ “ “ 1894,	48 95	
Due from county,	36 00	
Cash in treasury,	2,537 25	
	<u> </u>	2,636 87

ESTIMATED EXPENSES OF THE COMING YEAR.

State tax,	1,170 00
County tax,	913 00
Support of schools,	1,300 00
Text books and school supplies,	150 00
Highways and bridges,	2,200 00
Breaking roads,	600 00
Town library,	100 00
Memorial Day,	65 00
Care of cemetery,	50 00
Town officers,	450 00
Miscellaneous purposes,	400 00
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	7,398 00

TO MEET WHICH THE TOWN HAS

Income of school (estimated),	500 00	
Savings bank tax and literary fund,	1,700 00	
	<u> </u>	2,200 00
Sum recommended to be raised,		4,700 00

FUNDS BELONGING TO THE TOWN, EXCLUSIVE OF
RELIGIOUS FUNDS.

Sprague school fund, interest appropriated for the support of schools,	9,802 65
Appleton fund, income appropriated for support of schools,	1,000.00
Gleason fund, income appropriated for the benefit of poor persons at the discretion of the selectmen,	2,500 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. BALDWIN, ISAAC N. LEATHERS, CHARLES J. ELLIS,	}	Selectmen of Dublin.
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Dublin, N. H., Feb. 18, 1895.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC PARK.

Your committee on public park has communicated with two owners of land bordering on Monadnock Lake, one on the north and one on the south side. The owner on the north shore refused to sell; the owner on the south shore, Mr. Geo. A. Gowing, has made to your committee the following proposition: He will *sell* to the town of Dublin a tract of land one hundred and fifty (150) feet long by one hundred (100) feet wide, situated between the highway leading from the Wait Corner, so called, to the residence of Col. T. W. Higginson and the lake shore, and west of land now owned by one Colony—for the sum of \$1,000. Also that he will *give* to the town a tract of land of the above dimensions adjoining the aforesaid tract of land on the west, the whole to be kept as a public park for said town of Dublin.

While your committee and the town may think this a large sum to pay for a park of this size, the question arises where on the shores of Monadnock Lake can a tract of land suitable for this purpose be bought at a *less* price?

Respectfully submitted,

F. A. PIERCE, Committee.

TO THE SELECTMEN:—In compliance with an act of the Legislature, passed June Session, 1887, requiring “Clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following: WARREN L. FISKE, Town Clerk.

Births Registered in the Town of Dublin, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1894.

Date	Name of Child	Child			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Parents	
		Sex	Living or still b	Color	Number of child							Father	Mother
Jan 20		F	sb	w	13	Charles F Knight		Dublin, N H	Farmer	Marlow, N H	Townsend, Mass	40	42
June 27	Wayland Patter- [son]	M	L	w	3	Alfred C Frost	w	“	“	Harrisville, N H	Henniker, N H	41	35
Sept 17	Ina Dora	F	L	w	5	Frank E Pierce	w	“	Carpenter	Dublin, N H	Peterboro' N H	41	30
Oct 30	Gertrude Helena	F	L	w	1	Charles W Clark	w	“	Farmer	Jaffrey, N H	Keene, N H	25	22
Dec 11		M	L	w	1	Fred Sundstrom	w	“	“	Finland	Finland	33	30
June 25	George Eliot	M	L	w	1	George Bridge Leighton	w	“	“	St Louis, Mo	St Louis, Mo	30	28

Marriages Registered in the Town of Dublin, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1894.

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Condition	Name and residence of clergyman by whom married
Apr 7	Athol, Mass	Orley Bennett	Dublin, N H	22	Painter	Monkton, Vt	Amos Bennett Emily Shepherd Ephraim Fenton			1	C J Swampton, Athol, Mass
		Sadie Fenton	Athol, Mass	25	Dressmaker	Truro, N S				1	
Aug 21	Dublin, N H	George C. Barnard	New York	32	Sculptor	Bellefont, Pa	Joseph H Barnard Martha Gray			1	Joseph H Barnard, Madison, Ind.
		Edna Monroe	Dublin, N H	25		Chelsea, Mass	Lewis B Monroe Adeline F Osgood Frederick Pape			1	
Aug 16	Dublin, N H	Frederick L M Pape	New York	23	Artist	San Francisco, Cal	Maric Meien			1	George W Patten, Dublin, N H
		Alice Monroe	Dublin, N H	27		Chelsea, Mass	Lewis B Monroe Adeline F Osgood			1	
Oct 16	Dublin, N H	Edward W Roper	Revere, Mass	36		Revere, Mass	Edward F Roper Henrietta M Greene			1	Granville Pierce, Chelmsford, Mass
		Flora G Allison	Dublin, N H	34	Teacher	Dublin, N H	James Allison			1	
Oct 31	Boston, Mass	Charles W Abbott	Dublin, N H	22	Farmer	Andover, Mass	Sarah J Darracott Charles E Abbott Mary F Wheeler			1	
		Marguerite J Mc-Donald	Boston, Mass	26	Dressmaker	C'ncord Middle [River, NS]	George McDonald Christy Ross			1	

Deaths Registered in the Town of Dublin, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1894.

Date	Names	Place of Birth	Occupation	Place of Birth	Father	Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan 14	Elmira Cogswell	Dublin, N H	[and farmer	Sherburn, Mass	Holliston, N H		John Knowlton	Susanna Jennings
June 4	Henry G Piper	"	Carpenter	Temple, N H	Dublin, N H		Rufus Piper	Anna Gowing
Aug 8	George F Bond	"	Farmer		Rindge, N H		Franklin Bond	Mary Emerson

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Dublin, qualified to vote in
Town Affairs.*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects :

1st. To choose all necessary town officers, agents, auditors, and committees, for the ensuing year.

2d. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, officers, or committees heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

3d. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools, for repairing school houses, for the public library, for the maintenance of the poor, for building and repairing highways and bridges, for observing Memorial Day, and for other necessary charges arising within the town.

4th. To see if the town will instruct the highway agent to purchase a snow roller, and appropriate the sum of seventy dollars to pay for the same, or pass any vote relative thereto.

5th. To see if the town will grant the petition presented by N. H. Emmons and others, asking the town to accept the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars in trust, for the care of the burial lot of Mary A. Wales, or pass any vote relative thereto.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-third day of February, 1895.

JOHN E. BALDWIN,	}	Selectmen of Dublin.
ISAAC N. LEATHERS,		
CHARLES J. ELLIS,		





